



ROCKET

1963







MAXWELL COMMUNITY SCHOOL
MAXWELL , IOWA



Foreword

The publication of this yearbook has been a challenge to all of us. And now that we present this edition of the 1963 "Rocker" we are proud of what this work has meant to us.

It has required the co-operation of our sponsor, staff, students, and those who have contributed their support through advertisements. We wish to thank you who have helped us.

In compiling this annual we have tried to give you a yearbook which in years to come will be cherished for its memories of dear friends and happy school days. We hope you will enjoy it.

THE ANNUAL STAFF

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Elaine Mohr

Assistant Editor

Lusan Tomlinson

Annual Staff Sponsor

Corwin Ingram

The Rocket Staff



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The staff wishes to extend a special thank you to Chuck Bullard and Steve Fish for their many hours of photography work spent on the annual.

This year's "Rocket" would not have been possible without their fine co-operation and excellent work!

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DR. F. J. NEGLIA
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Administration



"What do you mean, you overslept?"

Superintendent's Message



To the Students of Maxwell High School:

I should like to express my sincere congratulations to the members of the class of 1963 for a job well done, and to the underclassmen an anticipation of even greater achievements.

This yearbook may well serve you in your postgraduate years as a reminder of your many extracurricular accomplishments and participation in extra-school activities which helped you in making your high school days a pleasant and a successful excursion. With every good wish-

Sincerely,

J. T. Riekema

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Administration

Principal's Message

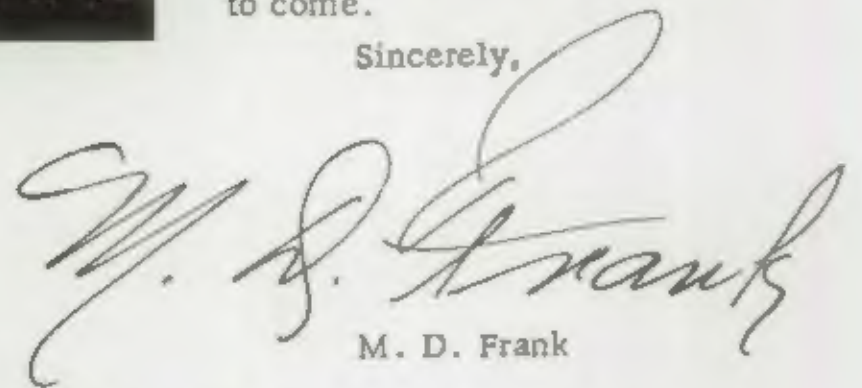


Each time we open this book, many treasured moments of the past will be relived.

Our stay at M.H.S. was short but we will remember it long.

May I extend to each student and faculty member of M.H.S. for 1962-63, my sincere thanks for an outstanding school year. May you have the best of everything in the years to come.

Sincerely,



M. D. Frank

Mr. Frank has been serving the Maxwell High School as principal for the past three years. Besides his many duties as principal, he also teaches advanced math, geometry, and algebra.

MRS. MacBETH
French Teacher;
High School Librarian,
Graduate of: Morningside
College.

MRS. PHELAN
Freshman English; Am. Lit.;
English Lit.; Dramatics Direc-
tor; Freshman Sponsor; Gradu-
ated from University of Illinois.

MRS. BAKER
Home Economics;
Sophomore English,
Junior Sponsor.
Graduate of: Iowa
State University.





Administration

MR. RIMA

General Science; Biology; Physics; and Chemistry teacher. Sophomore Sponsor. Graduated from Tarkio College.

MR. INGRAM

Typing; Bookkeeping; and Driver's Training teacher. Football Coach; Assistant Boys' Basketball Coach and Physical Education teacher. Freshman Sponsor. Annual Staff Sponsor. Graduated from Northwest Missouri State.



MR. GORDON

American History; Industrial Arts; American Problems; and Junior Sponsor. Graduated from Mankato State.

MR. RAMUS

Government; World History; Driver's Training; and Physical Education teacher. Boys' Basketball Coach; Assistant Football Coach. Senior Sponsor. Graduated from Iowa State Teacher's College.



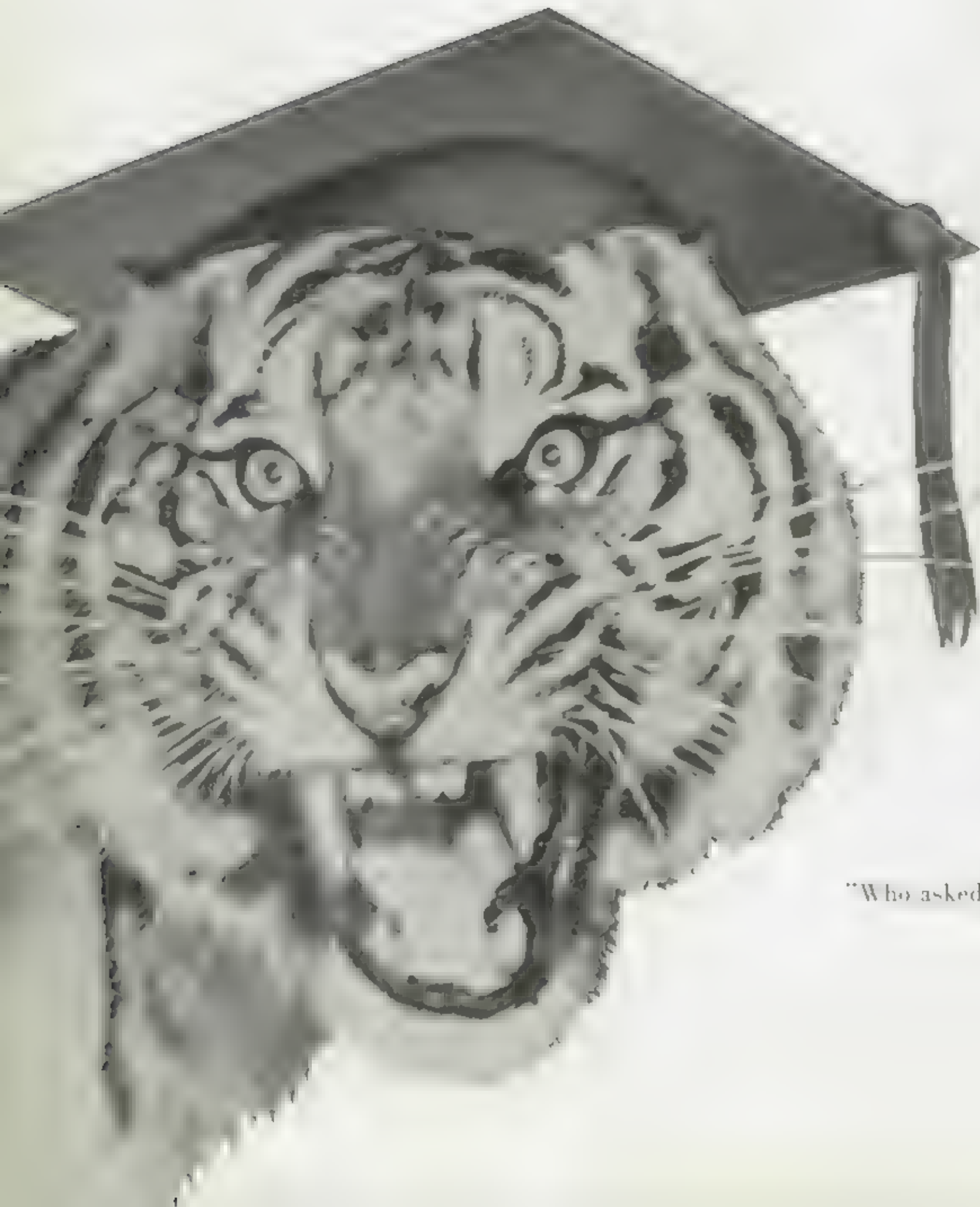
MR. LOCKWOOD

Vocational Agriculture; and Shop teacher. F.F.A. Sponsor and Sophomore Sponsor. Graduated from Iowa State University.

MR. GEHRING

Director for; Girls' and Boys' Chorus; Mixed Chorus; Senior and Junior Concert and Marching Band. Graduated from Northern Illinois.

Seniors



"Who asked you, Freshman?"

Seniors



Vice President
SHARON ANN PATTON
"Shari"

"If you meet a man without a smile, give him one."
Basketball, 2-3-4; Mixed Chorus, 3-4; Girls' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Class Officer, 4; F.H.A., 1-2-3; F.H.A. Officer, 3; Dramatics, 2; Newspaper, 3-4; Pep Club, 2-3-4.



President
KENNETH STROTHER
"Ken"

"When you talk you repeat what you know, when you listen you learn something."
Football, 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Baseball, 1-2; Band, 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus, 2-3-4; Boys' Chorus, 2-3-4; Student Council, 2-3; Class Officer, 4; F.F.A. Officer, 3; Dramatics, 3; Newspaper, 3; Pep Club, 3-4.

Secretary
SUSAN TOMLINSON
"Sue"

"Common sense is instinct; enough of it is genius."
Basketball, 1; Band, 1-2-3-4; Brass Quartet, 1-2-3; Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Girls' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Girls' Quartet, 4; Sextet, 1-4; Class Officer, 4; Annual Staff, 3-4; Newspaper, 3-4; Dramatics, 4; Accompanist, 2-3-4; Pep Club, 3-4.



Treasurer
EVELYN LINK
"Evvy"

"A poor excuse is better than none."
Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Softball, 3; Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Girls' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Class Officer, 4; F.T.A., 1-2-3; Newspaper, 4; Pep Club, 3.





SHEILA ANN PINCK

"Silent"

"I have gained my knowledge;
now for the experience."

Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Softball,
3; Band, 1-2-3-4; Mixed Cho-
rus, 1-2-3-4; Girls' Chorus, 1-
2-3-4; Class Officer, 2; Librar-
ian, 1-2; Newspaper, 1-2-3-4;
F.T.A., 1-2-3; Dramatics, 3-
4; Pep Club, 3-4.

GAROLD BELL

"Herb"

"High school days have their
delights, but can't compare to
high school nights."

Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Baseball,
1-2-3-4; Band, 1-2-3-4; Mixed
Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Boys' Chorus,
1-2-3-4; Single Quartet, 4;
Double Quartet, 3; F.F.A., 1;
F.T.A., 3; Dramatics, 3-4;
Pep Club, 3-4.



KAY ANNETTE JONES

There's danger in those dim-
ples

Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Girls'
Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Dramatics,
3-4; F.T.A., 1; Newspaper, 4;
Pep Club, 3-4.

ROBERT STONE

"Be silent and pass for a philos-
opher."



KATHY MYERS

"An old maid I'll never be as
long as there are fish in the
sea."

Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Band, 1-
2-3-4; Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4;
Girls' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; F.T.A.,
1-2-3; Newspaper, 1-4; Pep
Club, 3.

T. JOHN PETERS

"I like a girl with a good head
on my shoulder."

Football, 1-2-3-4; Baseball,
1-2-3; Dramatics 3.





Seniors

BARBARA LARKIN

"Barb"

"Where there is smoke, there must be fire!"

Band, 1-2-3-4; Clarinet Quartet, 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Girls' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Annual Staff, 3-4; F.T.A., 1-2-3-4; Newspaper, 2-3; Dramatics, 3-4; Pep Club, 3-4;

JOHN LEE

"Time is but the stream I go fishing in."

F.F.A., 1-2-3-4

CONNIE JO PYLE

"Jo"

"You don't have to take agriculture to know how to raise cane."

Band, 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Girls' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Sextet, 1-3-4; Manager, 3; F.T.A., 1-2-3; Dramatics, 3-4; Newspaper, 1-2-3-4; Pep Club, 3-4.

DON ELDING

"I hate the day, but oh the night."

Football, 1-2-3-4; Baseball, 1-3-4; Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Track, 1-3; Band, 1-2-3; Mixed Chorus, 1-2; Newspaper, 3; Pep Club, 3-4.

MARLENE ROBERTSON

"Marty"

Her heart is like the moon.

There's a man in it

Basketball, 1-2-3-4; Softball, 3; Band, 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Girls' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; F.T.A., 1-2-3; Newspaper, 1-2-3-4; Dramatics, 3-4; Pep Club, 3.

JERRY LAW

"If I traded my good looks for brains, I still would have nothing."

Football, 1-2-3-4; Mixed Chorus, 2-3-4; Boys' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; F.F.A., 1-2-3-4; Camera Club, 2.



KATHRYN ANN JOHN

"Kathy"

Her hands upon the ivory keys,
bring forth the sweetest melodies.

BB, 1-2-3-4; Band, 1-2-3-4;
Brass Quartet, 1-2-3; Mixed
Cho., 1-2-3-4; Girls' Cho., 1-
2-3-4; Sextet, 1-2-3-4; Girls'
Quartet, 2-3-4; Accom., 1-2-
3-4; Stu. Coun., 1-2; F. T. A.,
1-2-3-4; Dramatics, 3-4; News-
paper, 1-2-3; Pep Cl., 3-4.

MARVIN KLINK

"Marv"

"I don't have much to say, but
when I say it: Listen!"

FB, 1-2-3; Track, 2; BB, 1.

ELAINE MARIE MOHR

"Shorty"

"I was cut out to be an angel,
but someone misplaced the pat-
tern."

Band, 1-2-3-4; Woodwind Trio,
1; Dance Band Vocalist, 2;
Twirler, 3-4; Mixed Cho., 1-2-
3-4; Girls' Cho., 1-2-3-4; Girls'
Quartet, 2-3-4; Sextet, 1-2-4;
Chldr., 1-2-3-4; Class Off., 2;
An., 3-4; Newspaper, 1-3-4;
F. T. A., 1-2-3; Dra., 3-4; Pep
Cl., 3-4.

DENNIS COUGHENOUR

"Big Den"

"Work fascinates me! I could
watch it for hours."

FB, 1-2-3-4; BB, 1-2-3; Track,
1-2; Baseball, 1-3; Mixed Cho.,
1-2-3-4; Boys' Cho., 1-2-3-4;
Stu. Coun., 4; Class Off., 1;
Dra., 3.

ONA ARLENE WHITE

"Leeby"

"I'd have gotten bigger if I
hadn't stopped growing."

BB, 1-2-3; Band, 1-2-3; Twirler,
3; Mixed Cho., 1-2-3-4; Girls'
Cho., 1-2-3-4; Sextet, 3-4; Stu.
Coun., 3-4; Chldr., 4; F. T. A.,
1-2-3-4; Dra., 3-4; Newspaper,
1-2-3; Pep Club, 3-4.

CRAIG WHITAKER

"If poeple would only listen I'd
tell them something."

F. F. A., 1-2-3-4.





Seniors

BOB PIERCE

"Rab"

"It's not what you do that counts; it's what you get away with."

Football, 1-2-3-4; Track, 1; Mixed Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Boys' Chorus, 1-2-3-4; Class Officer, 1-2; Dramatics, 3; Newspaper, 3; Pep Club, 3-4; F. T. A., 1-2-3-4.

DICK KAHLER

"Houch"

"If your life is a grind, use it to sharpen your wit."

"With my superior intelligence, I didn't feel I needed to take any extra activities. Instead, I devoted my time to deep study and concentration."

CONNIE KAY HALBERSTADT

"Fun is the spice of life and she likes lots of seasoning."

Mixed Chorus, 1-2; Girls' Chorus, 1-2; Sextet, 1; Class Officer, 3; F. T. A., 1-2; Dramatics, 3; Newspaper, 3-4.

JUDY KAY POINTER

"Red"

"She looks like a doll; acts like one, too; but who can tell what a doll will do?"

Softball, 1; Mixed Chorus, 1-2; Girls' Chorus, 1-2; Class Officer, 3; Cheerleader, 1; F. T. A., 1-2; Dramatics, 3; Newspaper, 3-4.

JAMES HOWARD SKINNER

"Jim"

"I can't get up with the sun because I'm out too late with the daughters."

Football, 1-2; Basketball, 1; Mixed Chorus, 1-3-4; Boys' Chorus, 1-3-4; F. T. A., 1-3; F. F. A., 1-2-3; Dramatics, 3; Newspaper, 1.

BILL THOMPSON

"Doing nothing is better than being busy doing nothing."

Juniors

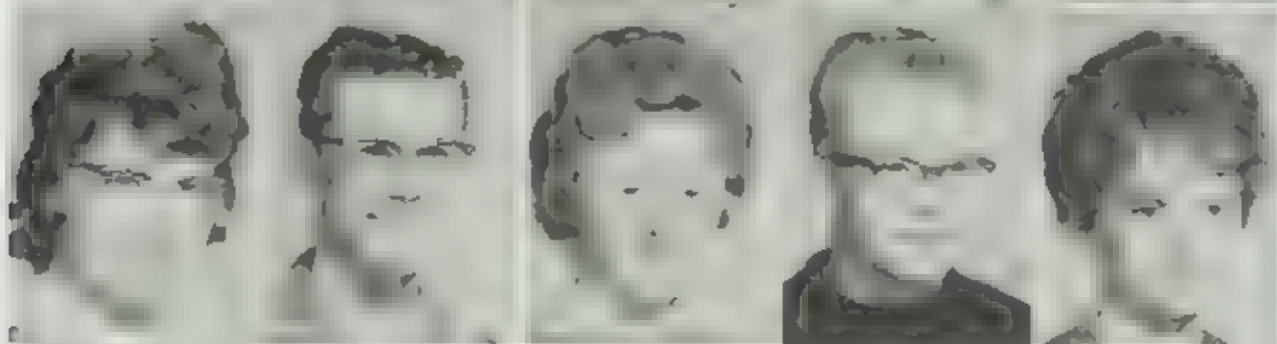
"Would you believe it — next year I'll
be a senior."



Juniors



D. Sesker
J. Huffaker
V. Robertson
E. Phelan
D. Vasey



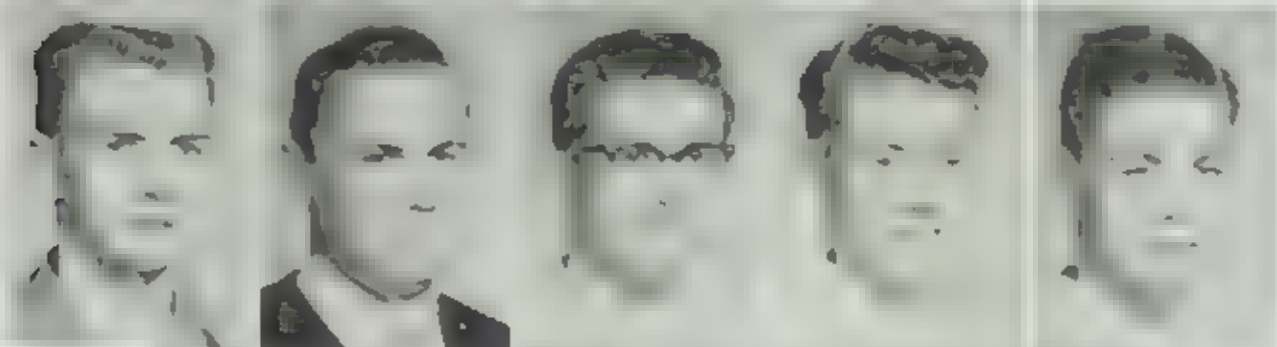
T. Howard
G. Myers
P. Sesker
E. Erickson
M. Jones



C. Bullard
L. Gustafson
M. Kimberley
K. Lane
K. Charlet



N. Smith
T. Henning
B. Miller
J. Kirk
J. Erickson



L. Lafferty
R. Lunch
R. Gregerson
W. Bell
A. Miller



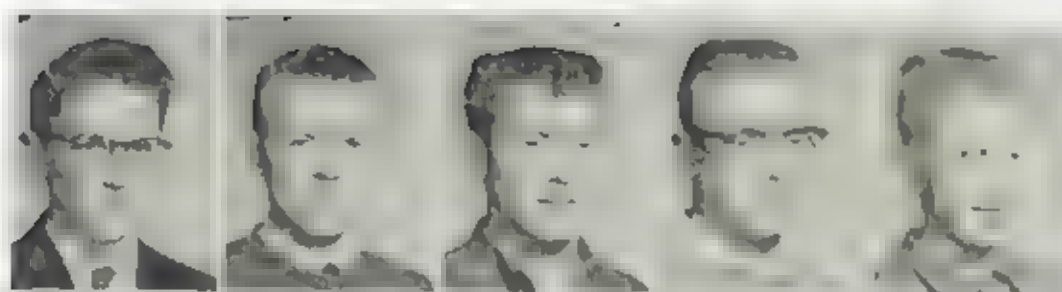
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W. Griffith
S. Fish
W. Frank

Sophomores

"What do you mean, I copy everything
you do?"



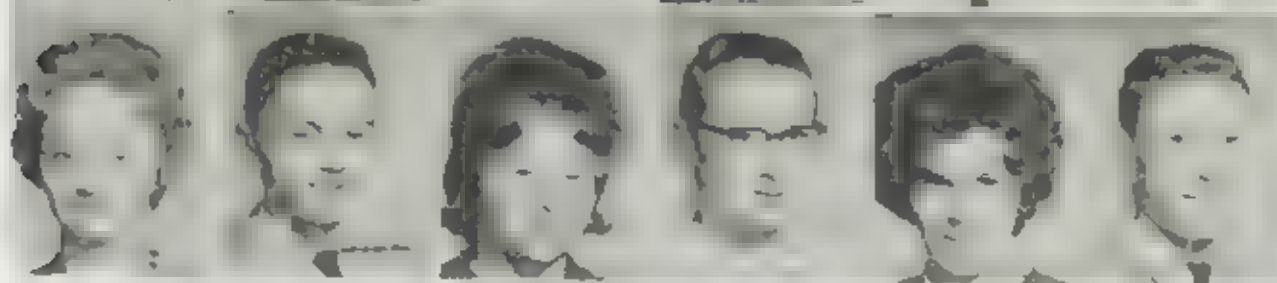
Sophomores



D. Carey
T. Empey
D. Pearson
K. Sandquist
T. Stigler



C. Beard
K. John
L. Meyers
S. Cooper
D. Bell
K. McClellan



M. Rouzer
F. Senter
C. Canney
K. Smith
J. Godby
R. Ratzlaff

S. Olinger
S. Walke
H. Holsinger
K. Hunter
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C. Vincent
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M. French
K. Cowman
J. Patton
S. Hines



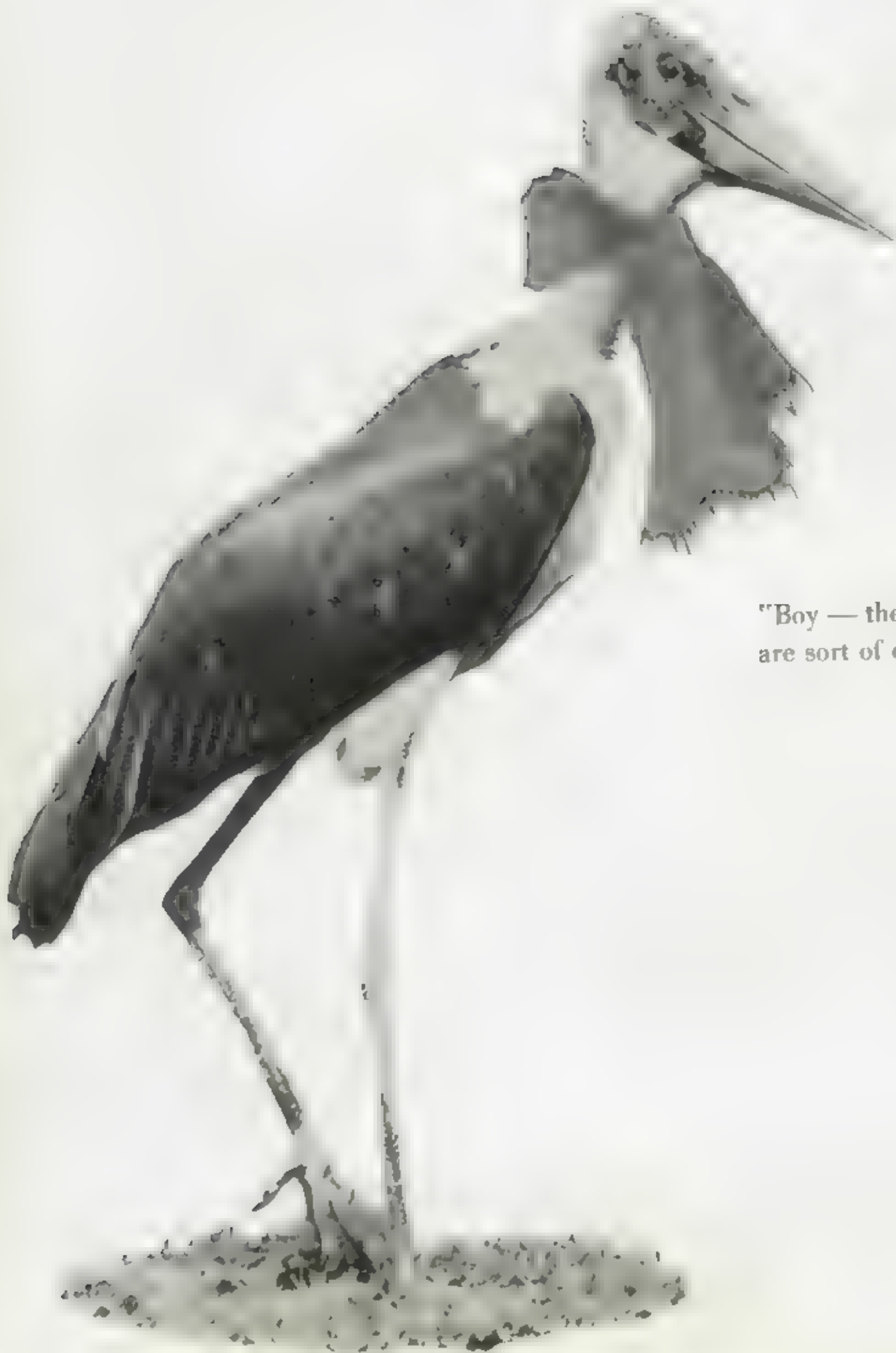
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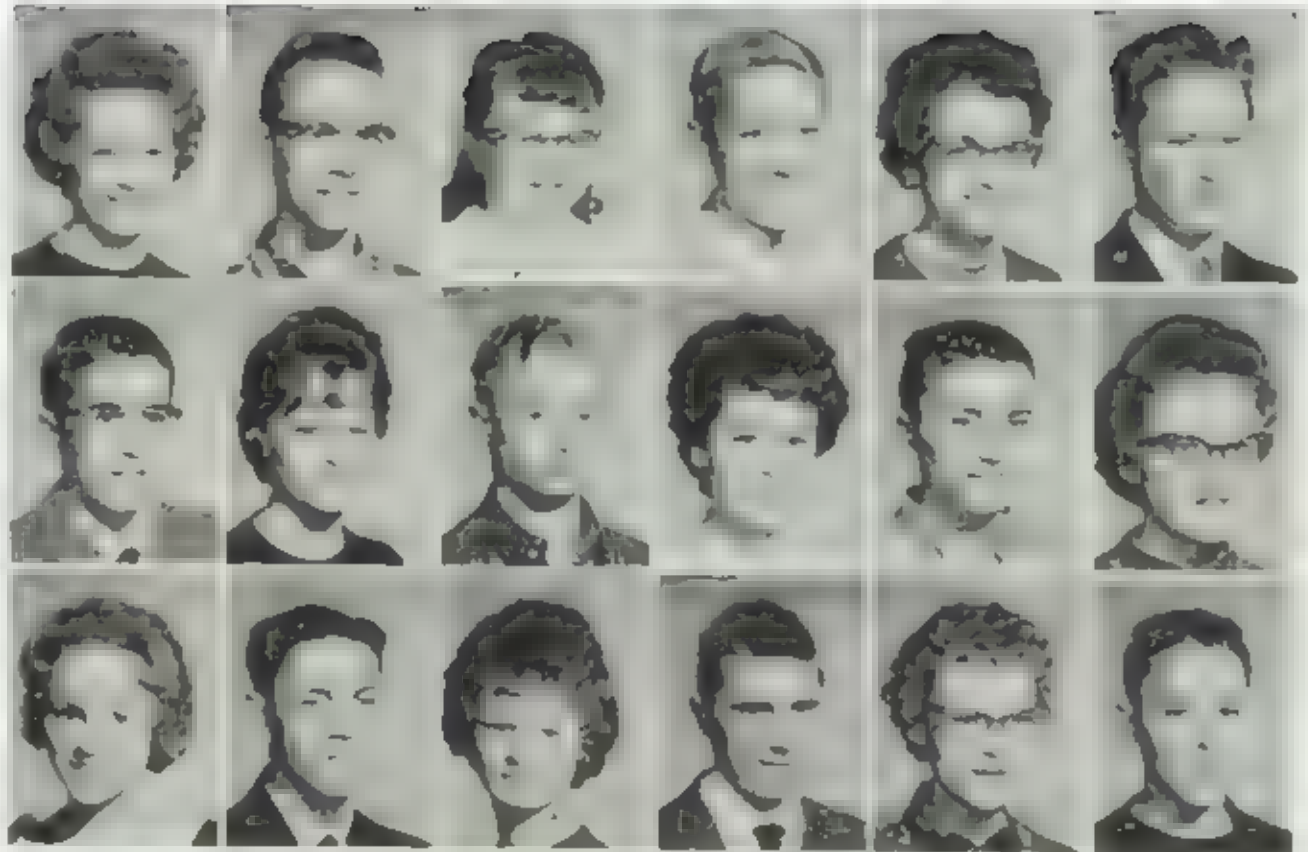
Freshmen



"Boy — these crew cuts they give you
are sort of chilly!"

Freshmen

C. Peters
S. Myers
M. Senter
L. Gregerson
K. Huffaker
M. Gustafson
R. Dunblazier
N. Wierson
B. Krik
S. Miller
S. Cooper
E. Erickson
B. French
R. Baldwin
G. Swalwell
D. Link
M. Bullard
S. Strother



C. Cairns
B. Troup
J. Patton
J. Coffey
G. Minear
L. Hartley
M. Nicodemus
P. Robertson
L. Welch
S. Sesker
J. Tiffany
D. Travis

D. Whaley
D. Coughenour
L. Osborn
D. Kimberley
D. Sparks

TED PETERS
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Class Officers and Sponsors



Juniors

BACK ROW: Linda Gustafson, President; John Kirk, Vice President.
FRONT ROW: Mr. Gordon, Sponsor; Evelyn Phelan, Secretary; Karen Lane, Treasurer; Mrs. Baker, Sponsor.

Sophomores

FIRST ROW: Mr. Rima, Sponsor; Steve Olinger, President; Dennis Bell, Vice President.
SECOND ROW: Mr. Lockwood, Sponsor; Kenneth Sandquist, Secretary; Dennis Mohr, Treasurer.



Freshmen

SEATED, left to right: Kathy Hufaker, Treasurer; Barbara French, Secretary; Linda Welch, Vice President; Ronald Dunblazier, President.
STANDING, Sponsors: Mrs. Phelan and Mr. Ingram.

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Grade School Teachers



SEATED, left to right Mrs. Joen, Kindergarten; Mrs. Mohler, Third Grade; Mrs. Peters, Grade School Music; Mrs. Peters, Fourth Grade.

SECOND ROW- Mrs. Empey, Combination Fifth and Sixth Grade, Mr. Miller, Fourth Grade; Mrs. Coughenour, Sixth Grade; Mrs. Svenson, First Grade.

THIRD ROW- Mrs. Thompson, Seventh Grade; Mrs. Caple, Remedial Reading, Mr. Lowe, Second Grade; Mrs. Ray, (substituting for Mrs. Hand) Fifth Grade.

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Eighth Grade



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D. Barrett
J. Smith
B. Jones

S. Nelson
C. Hopper
B. Jones
E. Hardy
S. Sledge

P. Kahler
P. Hunter
D. Whaley
S. Huggins
R. Schulz

T. Lee
M. Sorensen
D. Vincent
P. Longnecker
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J. Stigler
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K. Ives
S. Fish
W. Marshall

S. McCord
J. Schauper
C. Bishop
K. Brown

M. Frank
G. Tyler
D. Gustafson
L. Reeves

M. Senter
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P. Egeland
N. Miller



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Mrs. Thompson,
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 J. Witmer
 V. Tyler
 C. Nelson
 J. Egeland
 B. Zeiser
 M. Coffey
 J. Logsdon
 S. Smith
 B. Egeland
 H. Morris
 D. Tyler
 G. Sesker
 T. Hubbard
 A. Schauper
 L. Mitchell
 C. Birchmier
 J. Griffith
 S. Pomikal
 J. Atkinson
 S. Cairns
 L. Dolph
 R. Ratzlaff
 V. Bullard
 D. Elding
 J. Falvey
 N. Patton
 J. Witaker
 S. Reeves
 R. Patton
 T. Stratton

D. Owen

Mrs. Coughenour,
 Teacher

Fifth Grade



J. Myers
 C. Viers
 S. Strother
 D. Peterson
 M. Atwood
 C. Hand
 M. Woolhether
 P. Smith
 K. Wierson
 K. Lowe
 T. Stoneberg
 K. Thompson
 C. Schauper
 J. Halberstadt
 M. Smith
 G. Reeves
 C. Lynch
 S. Mitchell
 B. Lynch
 B. Hubbard
 P. Ness
 M. Senter
 J. Egeland
 K. Link
 P. Mohr
 D. Myers
 K. Jones
 R. Dolph
 T. Birchmier
 W. Travis
 D. Peterson
 L. Morris
 J. Dunahoo
 G. Brown
 C. Swalwell
 T. Summitt
 Mrs. Hand,
 Teacher

Mrs. Empey,
 Teacher of Grade
 5-6.

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Fourth Grade

M. Rooney
 K. Connert
 M. Hartley
 J. Owen
 B. Carey
 Z. Miller
 D. Wierson
 C. Stevens
 G. DeMoney
 S. Ives
 B. Carey
 G. Griffith
 D. Minear
 N. Hubbard
 M. Longnecker
 S. Senter
 W. Stoneberg
 J. McBride
 R. Atkinson
 P. Harmon
 D. Whaley
 D. Elding
 D. Mason
 G. Anderson
 M. McCord
 G. Lippart
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J. Mitchell
C. Dolph
D. Minear
T. DeMoney
R. Maxwell
C. Jones
T. Logsdon
R. Robertson
P. Atkinson
J. Logsdon
D. Elding
K. Thompson
R. Vincent
J. Peterson
N. Link
V. Cerretti
J. Reeves
J. Mohler
D. Fuller
H. Sledge
J. Myers
P. Rima
B. Lowe
J. Falvey
D. Tyler
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Teacher



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M. Marco
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D. Stoneberg



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J. Gale
K. Smith
L. Coles
L. Eatwell



B. Alleman
J. Schauper
D. Atwood
A. Rouzer
E. Atkinson



P. Owen
R. Myers
S. Caple
A. Thornwall
K. Thompson



J. Hunter
M. Reeves
K. Connett
C. Hand
K. Tyler



A. Pierce
Mrs. Lowe,
Teacher
T. Taylor
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First Grade

R. Backoff
J. Mitchell
S. Dolph
G. Meyers
P. Rooney

J. Myers
P. DeMoney
B. Holl
P. Ives
E. Viers

R. Pritchard
M. Mohler
J. Zeiser
B. Machlan
M. Holl

N. Cerretti
M. Carey
A. Hines
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 S. Coughenour
 R. Summitt
 J. White
 C. Ives
 D. Fuller
 B. Swalwell
 S. Robertson
 T. Miller
 M. Viers
 R. Maxwell
 R. Smith
 C. Pierce
 C. Mason
 H. Atwood
 M. Pyle
 D. Birchmier
 L. Bishop
 B. Dolph
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 D. Griffith
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 C. Polich,
 Absent.



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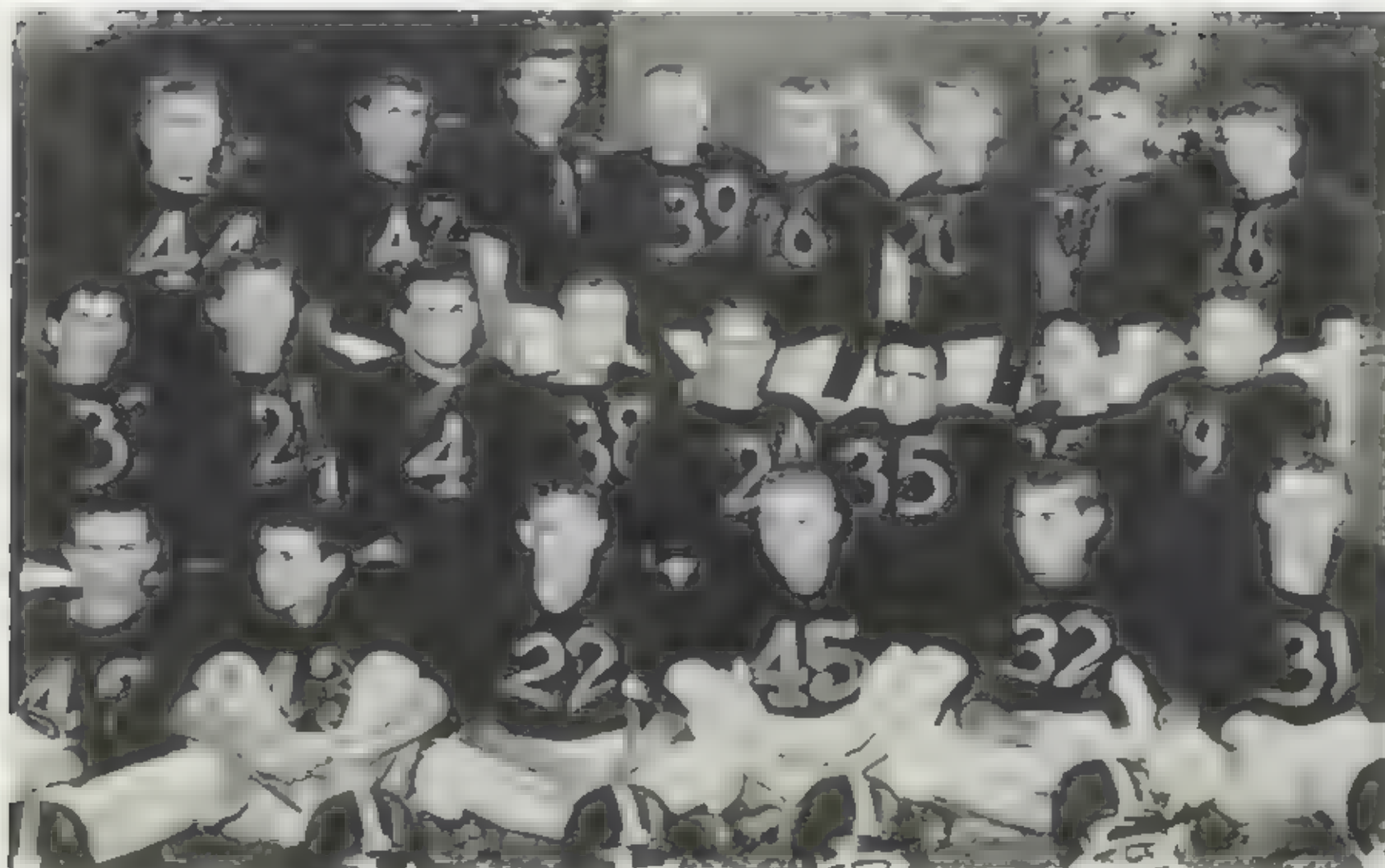
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Athletics



"How can I get my letter, staying in the showers all the time?"

The 1962 Rockets



ROW 1 C. Beard, T. Cummings, D. Caff, J. Kirk, H. Holsinger, R. Ratzlaff.

ROW 2: M. Zewer, J. Law, J. Peters, K. Sandquist, M. Gustafson, G. Norton, S. Strother, D. Whaley

ROW 3: D. Coughenour, D. Sesker, K. Strother, T. Empey, D. Sparks, W. Frank, D. Travis, P. Robertson

CAPTAINS

KEN STROTHER

First Team

All-Conference

Senior

End

DEN COUGHENOUR

2nd Team

All-Conference

Tackle



SEASON'S RECORD

Maxwell	0	Gladbrook	27	Maxwell	54	United Community	20
Maxwell	14	Ogden	0	Maxwell	7	Nevada	14
Maxwell	38	Colo	12	Maxwell	7	Story City	19
Maxwell	13	West Marshall	46	Maxwell	14	Ballard	27

Lettermen



JOHN PETERS
Senior Tackle



DON ELDING
Senior End



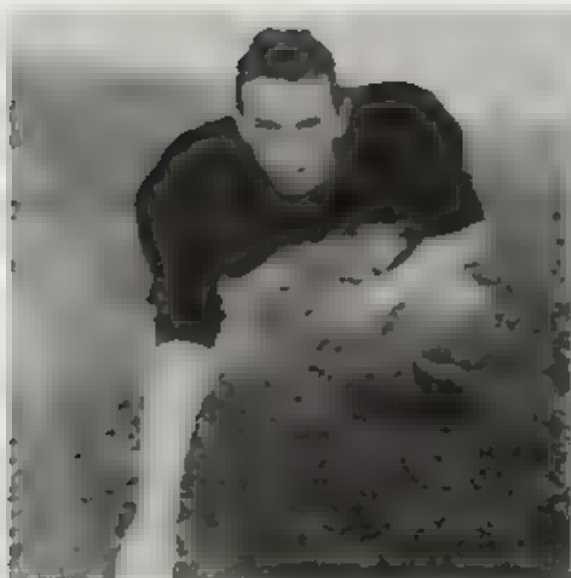
JERRY LAW
Senior Tackle



JOHN KIRK
Junior Guard



DON SESKER
Junior Back
All-Conference First Team



CHUCK BEARD
Sophomore Guard



WARREN FRANK
Junior Center

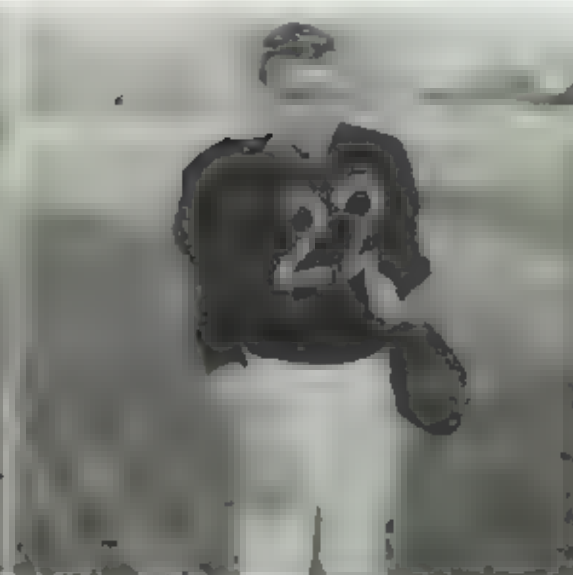


BOB LYNCH
Junior Tackle

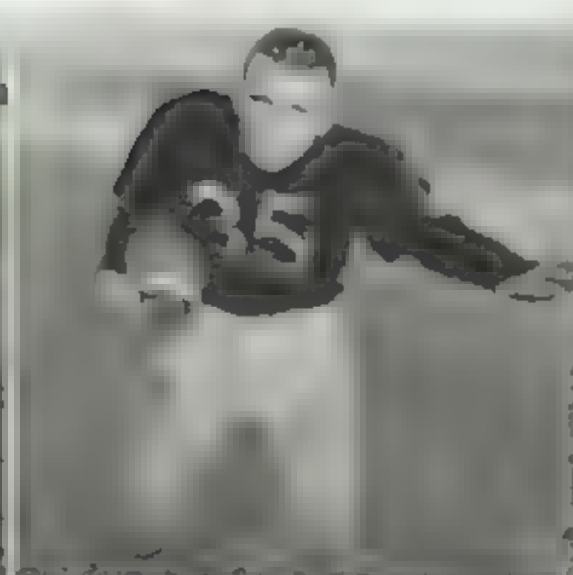
HARLAN HOLSINGER
Sophomore Back



DICK CUFF
Sophomore Back



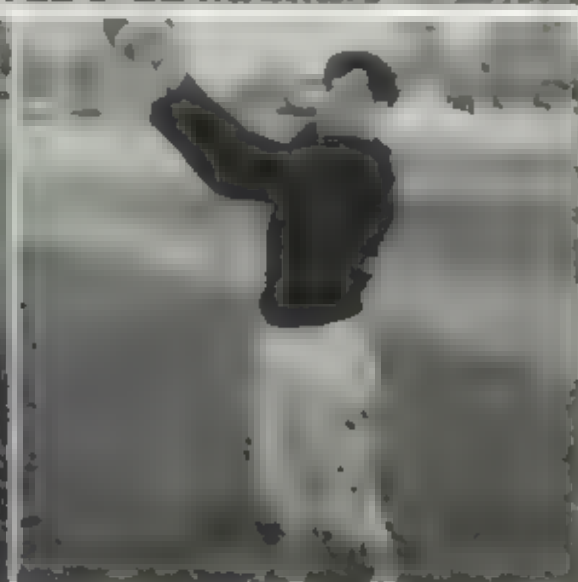
GEORGE NORTON
Sophomore Back



RON RATZLAFF
Sophomore Guard



TOM CUMMINGS
Sophomore Quarterback



MIKE ZEISER
Sophomore End



OFFENSE

	Don		Dick		Harlan		
Don	Den	Chuck	Tom	John	Jon	Ken	
			Warren				
			Tom		Dick		Harlan
		Mike	Don		John		
		John	Bob	Ron	Den	Ken	



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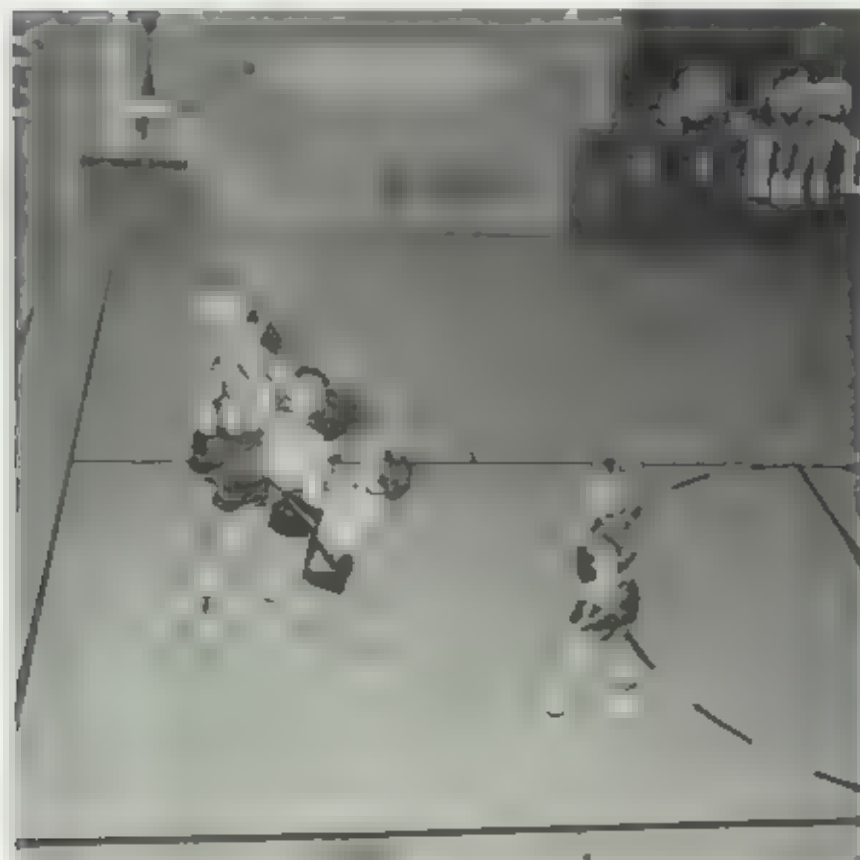
Girls' Basketball

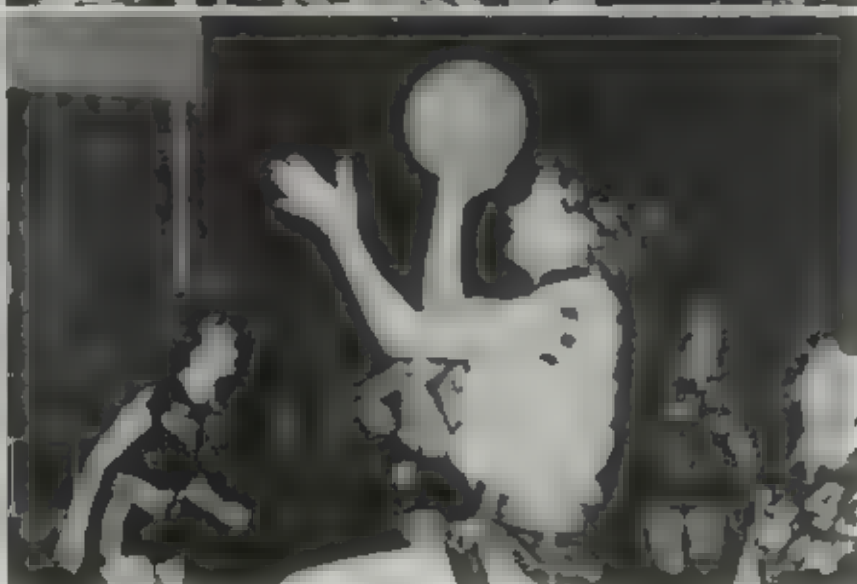
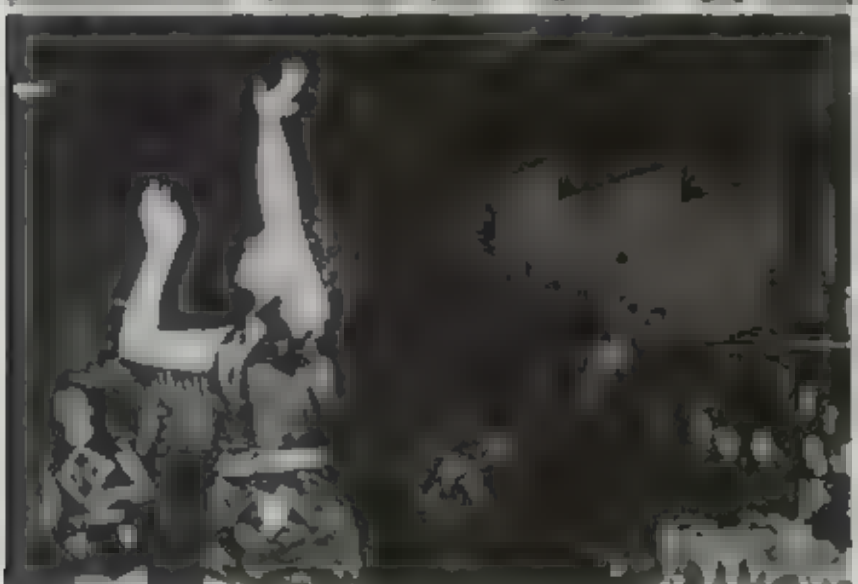


FIRST ROW Stella Pinck, Marlene Robertson, Kathy Myers, Kathy John, Shari Patton, Evelyn Link, Joan Erickson.

SECOND ROW Nancy Smith, Manager; Carolyn Vincent, Karen McClellan, Kris John, Linda Welch, Dana Coughenour, Margaret Nicodemus, Barbara French, Marie Rouzer, Shirley Miller, Coach, Mr. Miller.

Marlene Robertson made Third Team All-Conference.





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Boys' Basketball



ROW ONE· Wayne Bell, Warren Frank, Don Elding, Ken Strother, Don Sesker, Garold Bell, Tom Cummings.

ROW TWO· Ed Erickson, Allen Miller, Dennis Mohr, Chuck Bullard, Dennis Bell, Steve Strother, Larry Gregerson.

ROW THREE· Coach, Mr. Ramus; Terry Henning, Steve Fish, Ken Smith, Terry Empey, Mr. Ingram, Assistant Coach.

	We	They		We	They
Collins	59	36	United Community	59	28
Nevada	46	64	Gilbert	46	56
Gilbert	63	69	Mitchellville	49	56
Ballard	48	51	Colo	54	60
State Center	42	53	Ogden	66	45
Collins	72	33	Colo	71	57
Story City	48	38	Altoona	51	55

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

Story City	43	Maxwell	44
Colo	39		64
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DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

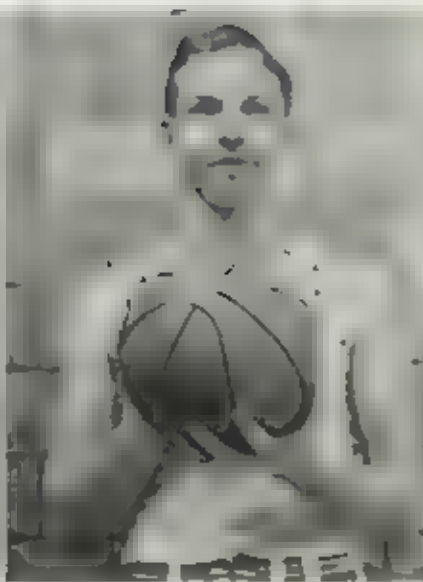
South Hamilton	77	Maxwell	42
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WARREN FRANK



WAYNE BELL



CHUCK BULLARD



KEN STROTHER
All-County Team
1st Team All-
Conference



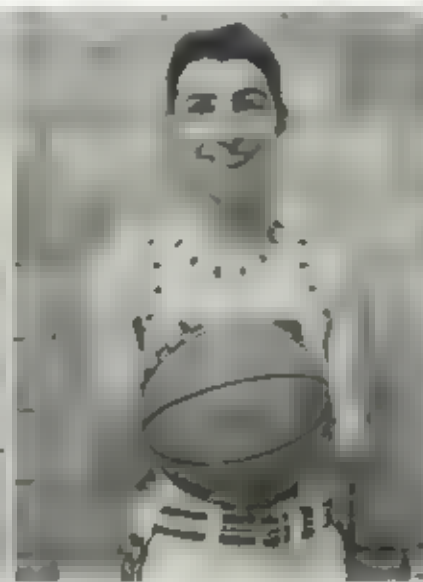
DON ELDING
Basketball Captain



TOM CUMMINGS



DENNIS MOHR



GAROLD BELL



DON SESKER
1st Team All-Conference

Junior High Basketball Teams



Girls

ROW 1 Linda Harmon, Linda Hennick, Marcia Frank, Pamela Longnecker, Jeanne Schauer, Sandra Fish, Judy Erickson.

ROW 2 Coach Miller, Kathryn Brown, Patty Hunter, Norma Coughenour, Diane Gustafson, Betty Jones, Carla Hopper, Evonn Hardy.

Boys

FRONT ROW Alan Summit, Dick Barrett, Randy Pointer, Mark Travis, Dale Whaley.

MIDDLE ROW Thomas Lee, Charles Bishop, Thomas Hand, Steven Stoneberg, Ned Miller, Alan Stratton, Jim Stigler.

BACK ROW Coach Miller, Larry Reeves, Stephen Nelson, Steven Barchmier.



Activities

"All together now, Rah' Rah' Rah"



Drum Majorette and Twirlers



KRIS JOHN

LINDA GUSTAFSON

SHERRY WILCKE

NANCY SMITH

KAREN HUNTER

SONJA NESS

SHEILA PINCK

ELAINE MOHR

MARLENE ROBERTSON



Senior High Concert Band



ROW ONE: Kris John, Sue Cooper, Barb French, Margaret Nicodemus, Georgia Swalwell, Nancy Wierson, Judy Godby. ROW TWO: Barb Larkin, Peg Sesker, Sonja Ness, Karen McClellan, Connie Pyle, Kathy Myers, Marcia Frank, Ron Ratzlaff, Dennis Bell, James Tyler, Dennis Whaley, Sherry Wilcke. THIRD ROW: Joe Tiffany, Kathy Huffaker, Kenneth Ives, Kathy Brown, Linda Hennick, Linda Harmon, Steve Nelson, Steve Sesker, George Norton, Steve Olinger, Harlan Holsinger, Sue Tomlinson, Kathy John, Alan Summit, Marvin Senter, Chuck Ballard. FOURTH ROW: Mr. Gehring, Jean Huffaker, Debbie Kimberley, Garold Bell, Joan Erickson, Ken Strother, Steve Cooper, Dale Whaley, Dana Coughenour, Dick Cuff, Steve Strother, Dan Sparks, Maribeth French, Absent.

Junior High Concert Band

ROW ONE: Norma Coughenour, Virginia Bullard, Kathy Lowe, Barbara Egeland, Dean Whaley, Steven Ives, June Taylor. ROW TWO: John Griffith, Mike Coffey, Ande Schauper, Sharon Reeves, Mary Smith, Beverly Erickson, Cynde Schauper, Bonnie Hubbard, Theresa Birchmier, Sharon Wilcke. THIRD ROW: Mark Atwood, Denny Dolph, Ted Stoneberg, Wade Travis, Steve Stoneberg, Mark Woolnether, Rex Ratzlaff, Gary Sesker, Tom Summit, Debbie Owen, Kay Thompson, Kathy Birchmier, Pam Smith. BACK ROW: Jeanne Myers, Steve Smith, Steve Birchmier, Jerry Whitaker, Ed Rooney, Rex Sparks, James Falvey, Vernon Tyler, Mr. Gehring



CLARINET AND SAXOPHONE QUARTETS



Sonja Ness, Karen McClellan, Peggy Sesker, Barb Larkin.

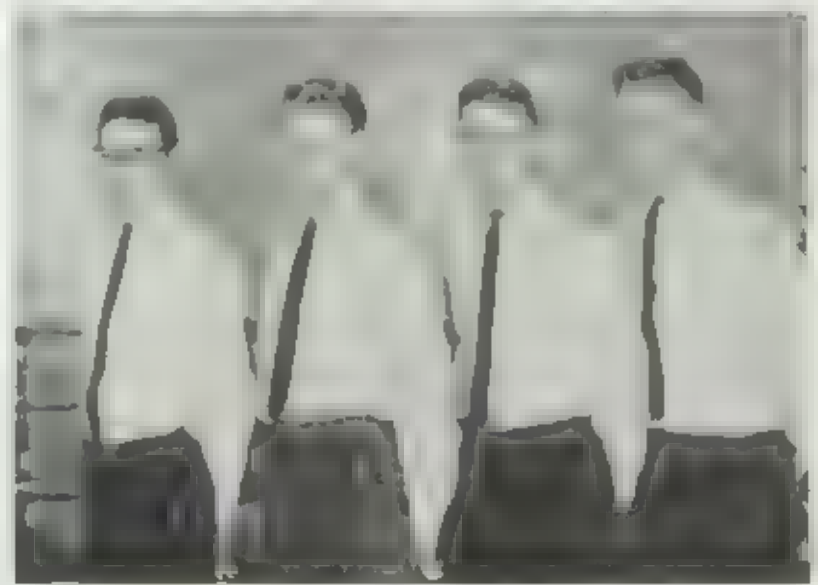


Dennis Bell, Vernon Tyler, Dennis Whaley, Sherry Wilcke.

GIRLS' AND BOYS' QUARTETS



Elaine Mohr, Evelyn Phelan, Kathy John, Susan Tomlinson.



Dennis Bell, Ron Ratzlaff, Garold Bell, Jerry Law.

SOPHOMORE-JUNIOR AND SENIOR SEXTETS



Joan Erickson, Kris John, Judy Godby, Jean Huffaker, Susan Cooper, Maribeth French.



Elaine Mohr, Ona White, Sue Tomlinson, Connie Pyle, Linda Gustafson, Kathy John.

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Mixed Chorus



ROW ONE: Charlotte Canney, Kathy Joann, (Accompanist), Judy Godby, Kris John, Georgia Swallowell, Elaine Erickson, Joan Erickson, Linda Gustafson, Barb French, Shari Patton, Sue Tomlinson. ROW TWO: Marlene Robertson, Margaret Nicodemus, Beth Miller, Linda Wesel, Harlan Holminger, Ker Stricker, Chuck Ballard, Terry Empey, Jerry Law, Debbie Kimberley, Sheila Pinek, Margaret Ballard, Connie Pyle. THIRD ROW: Sue Cooper, Nancy Wierson, Mary Jones, Judy Corfey, Chuck Cairns, Steve Sesker, Dave Link, Fred Senter, Ron Dunblazier, Mike Gustafson, Kathy Huffaker, Carol Peters, Ona White, Elaine Mohr. ROW FOUR: Nancy Smith, Peg Sesker, Sonja Ness, Sharkey Miller, Karen Lane, Linda Hartley, Carolyn Vincent, Kathy Myers, Barb Larkin, Kay Jones, Eve Phelan, Karen McClellan, Marie Rouzer, Jean Huffaker. ROW FIVE: Evelyn Link, Denny Bell, Ron Ratzlaff, Rich Baldwin, Kenneth Cowman, Warren Frank, Don Coughenour, Garon Bell, Dick Cuff, Dana Coughenour, Mr. Gehring. Maribeth French, Absent.

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Girls' and Boys' Chorus



ROW ONE Charlotte Canney, Kathy Jean, Lucy Goshy, Kris John, Georgia Swallowell, Elaine Erickson, Joan Erickson, Linda Gustafson, Barb Freck, Star Patton, Sue Tomlinson. ROW TWO Peg Sesker, Marlene Robertson, Margaret Nicodemus, Betty Miller, Linda Welch, Debbie Kimberley, Shelia Pinck, Margaret Bullard, Connie Pyle, Elaine Mohr. ROW THREE Sue Cooper, Nancy Watson, Mary Jones, Judy Coffey, Nancy Smith, Sonia Ness, Shirley Miller, Karen McClellan, Marie Rouzer, Jean Huffaker, Kathy Huffaker, Carol Peters, Opa White. ROW FOUR Mr. Gehring, Karen Lane, Carolyn Vincent, Linda Hartley, Kathy Myers, Evelyn Link, Dana Coughenour, Judy Patton, Barb Larkin, Kay Jones, Evelyn Link, Dana Coughenour, Lucy Patton, Barb Larkin, Kay Jones, Evelyn Phelan, Sherry Wilcke, Karen Hunter.



ROW ONE Mr. Gehring, Steve Fish, Fred Senter, Dave Link, Dennis Bell, Steve Sesker. ROW TWO Chuck Cairns, Ron Dunblazer, Ron Ratzlaff, Richard Baldwin, Kenneth Cowman, Dick Cuff, Mike Gustafson. ROW THREE Garold Bell, Don Coughenour, Jerry Law, Chuck Ballard, Ken Strother, Harlan Holsinger, Terry Empey, Warren Frank.



Cheerleaders

LEFT TO RIGHT: Ona White, Senior; Jean Huffaker, Junior; Peggy Sesker, Junior, Elaine Mohr, Senior.

At the beginning of the school year, these four cheerleaders were elected by members of the student body. They have been responsible for keeping a lively spirit at our ball games. Before each game they would organize a pep meeting which would give great support to the teams. The time they have rendered is greatly appreciated by all. A special thanks should be given to these girls.

Later on in the school year, Linda Gustafson was selected to substitute for Jean Huffaker. Linda should also be commended for her fine work.

"Congratulations to the Class of '63"
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Maxwell, Iowa

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Nevada, Iowa

Pep Club Members



CHEERLEADERS - ROW ONE: Ona White, Peg Sesker, Jean Huffaker, Elaine Mohr. ROW TWO: Barb Larkin, Sue Tomlinson, Nancy Smith, President, Sherry Walcke, Charlotte Canney, Karen Hunter, Sue Cooper, Nancy Wierson, Sonja Ness, Karen McClellan, Mary Jones, Historian; Beth Troup, Karen Lane, Debbie Kimberley, Mr. Ramus, Sponsor. ROW THREE: Connie Pyle, Kathy John, Sec. - Treas., Barb French, Carol Peters, Margaret Ballard, Shirley Miller, Marie Rouzer, Judy Patton, Carolyn Vincent, Beth Miller, Kay Jones, Linda Welch, Kathy Huffaker. ROW FOUR: Evelyn Phelan, Elaine Erickson, Linda Gustafson, Margaret Nicodemus, Georgia Swalwell, Kris John, Linda Hartley, Dana Coughenour, Joan Erickson, Judy Godny, Kenneth Smith, Steve Strother, Steve Sesker, Dennis Whaley. ROW FIVE: Jim Skinner, Shari Patton, Sheila Pinck, Garold Bell, Fred Senter, Ron Gregerson, Allen Miller, Wayne Bell, Steve Fish, Ken Sandquist, Dennis Bell, John Lee, Ron Ratzlaff. ROW SIX: Kenneth Cowman, James McIntyre, Den Coughenour, Don Sesker, Ken Strother, Bob Pierce, Don Elving, Chuck Bulard, Jerry Law, Terry Empey, Rich Baldwin, Warren Frank.

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Student Council



SEATED: Ona White, Vice President; Nancy Smith, Secretary-Treasurer, Den Coughenour, President; Mr. Frank, Advisor.

STANDING: Steve Strother, Tom Cummings, Kris John, Elaine Erickson, Mark Kimberley.

Rocket Newspaper Staff

SEATED: Sheila Pinck, Editor.

FIRST ROW: Shari Patton, "Dear Abbey" Column Editor; Connie Pyle, Staff Interviewer; Connie Halberstadt, High School News Editor, Judy Pointer, Business Manager, Kathy Myers, Roving Reporter; Evelyn Link, Sports Editor; Mr. Ingram, Advisor.

SECOND ROW: Marlene Robertson, Gossip Editor; Kay Jones, Joke Editor; Elaine Mohr, Editorial Chairman.





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ROW 1: Karen Hunter, Susan Cooper.

ROW 2: Barb Larkin, Vice President, Jean Huffaker, Historian, Ona White, President; Nancy Smith, Secretary; Mrs. Caple, Sponsor.

ROW 3: Susan Tomlinson, Kathy John, Kris John, Karen McClellan, Beth Troup, Marie Rouzer, Mary Senter.

ROW 4: Sonja Ness, Peggy Sesker.

ROW 1: Ron Ratzlaff, Reporter; Jerry Law, Secretary; Craig Whitaker, Treasurer; John Lee, President; Bob Pierce, Vice President, Mr. Lockwood, Advisor; Bill Griffith, Sentinel.
(Not Pictured)

ROW 2: Kenneth Cowman, Richard Baldwin, Bill Thompson, Shari Patton, F. F. A. Sweetheart; Fred Senter, Jim Patton, Steve Sesker, Merlin Dunahoo.

ROW 3: Dennis Whaley, George Norton, Dick Link, Chuck Beard, Kenneth Sandquist, Robert Stone, Steve Cairns.

ROW 4: Terry Henning, James McIntire, Steve Myers, Larry Meyers, Larry Lafferty, Ron Danblazier.

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Homecoming Royalty



CROWNING CEREMONIES

Carol Sorensen, Queen Ona, Princess Shari, Julie Kirk



HOMECOMING COURT

King Ken, Queen Ona, Prince Den, Princess Shari

Homecoming Activities

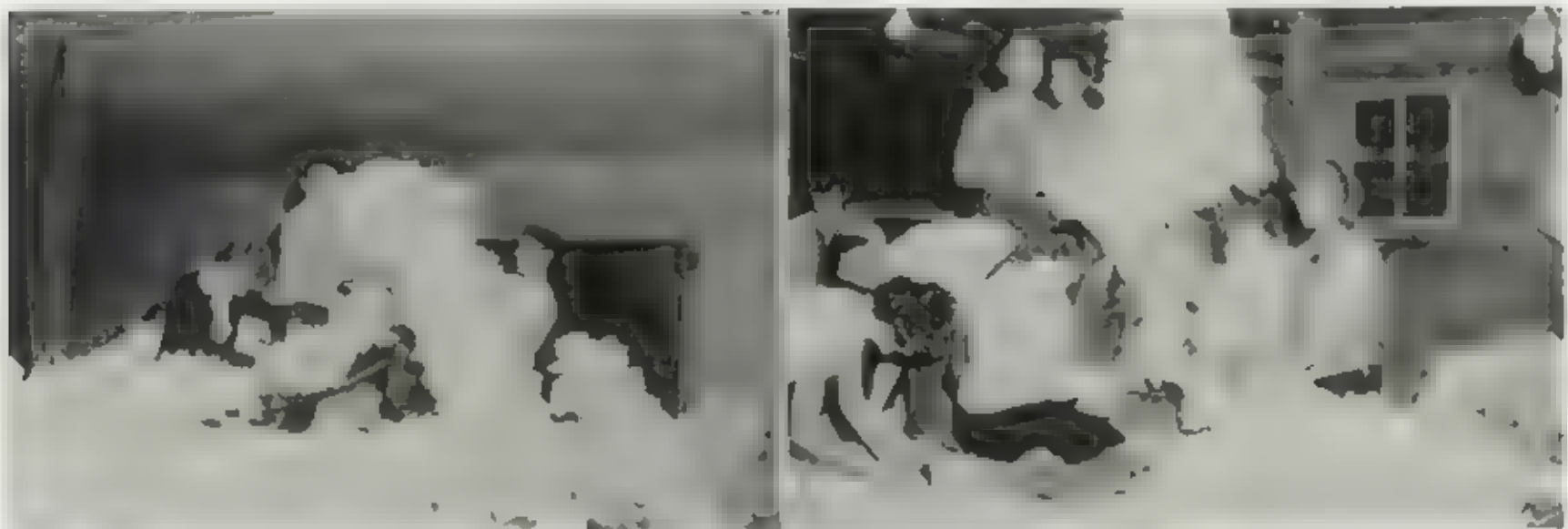


THE SNAKE DANCE



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Juniors hard at work???



Busy little bees!

The Freshman's task is never done!

Homecoming Floats



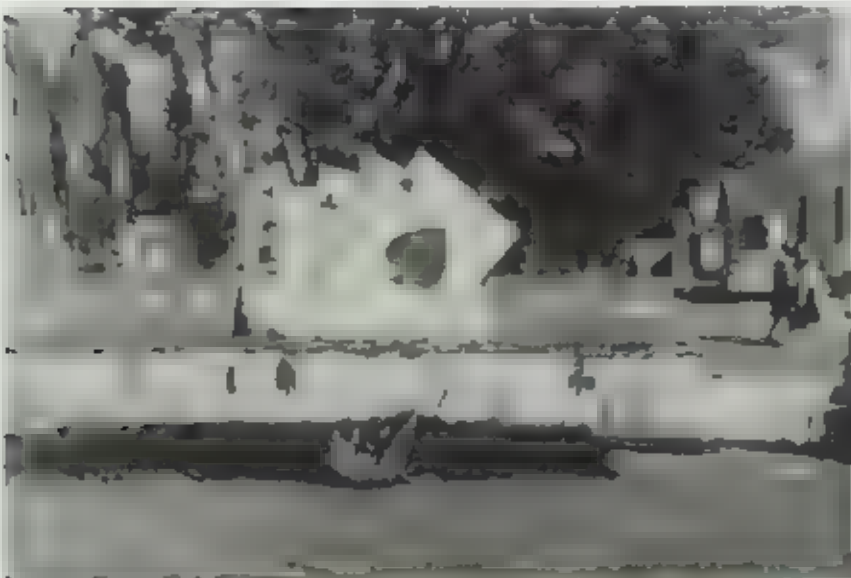
Sophomore Float
1st Prize



Senior Float
2nd Prize



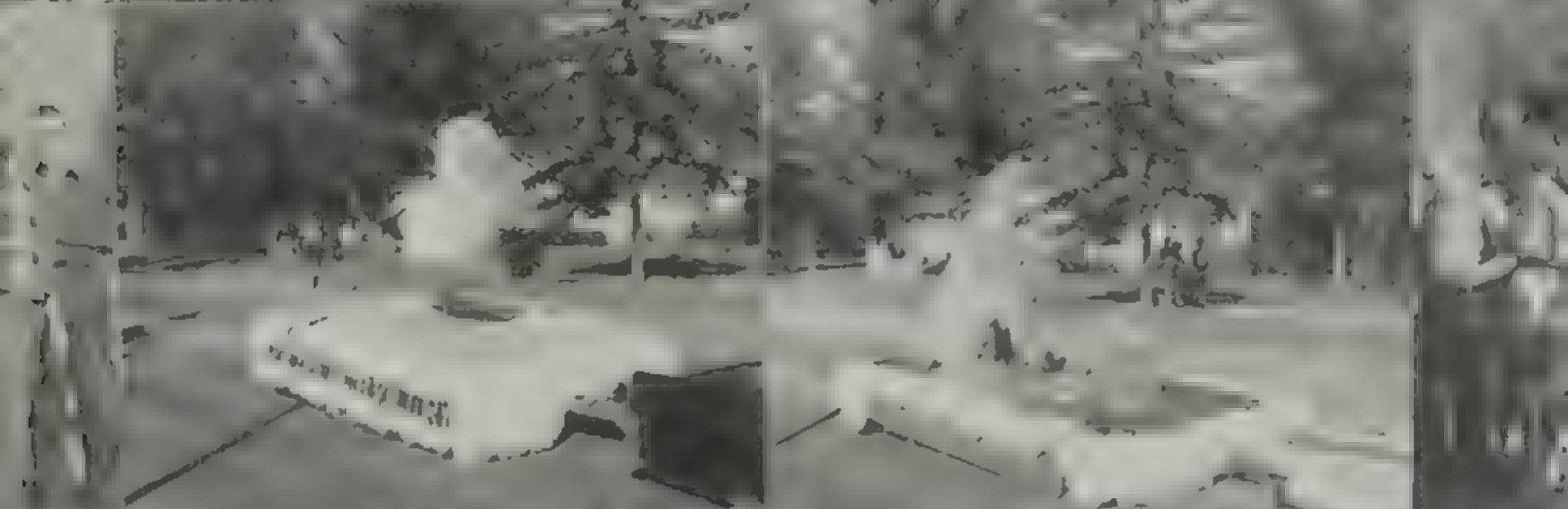
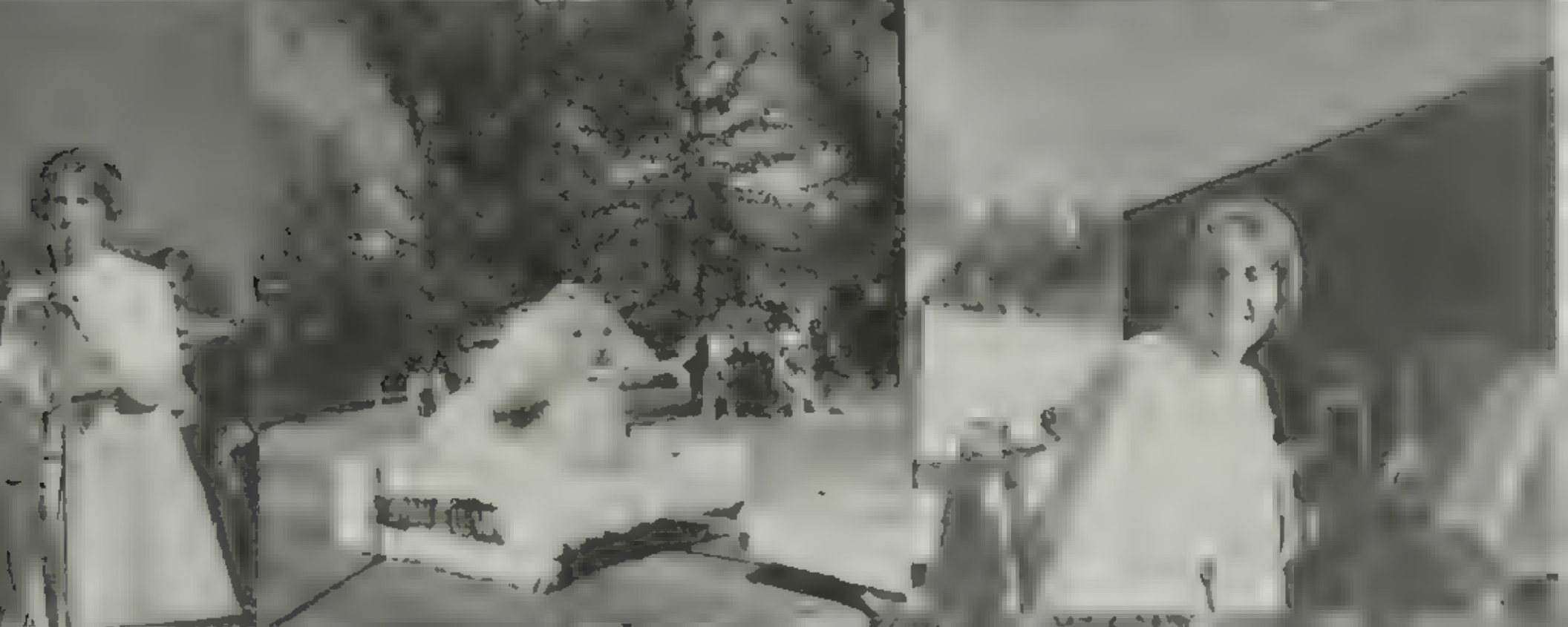
Junior Float
3rd Prize

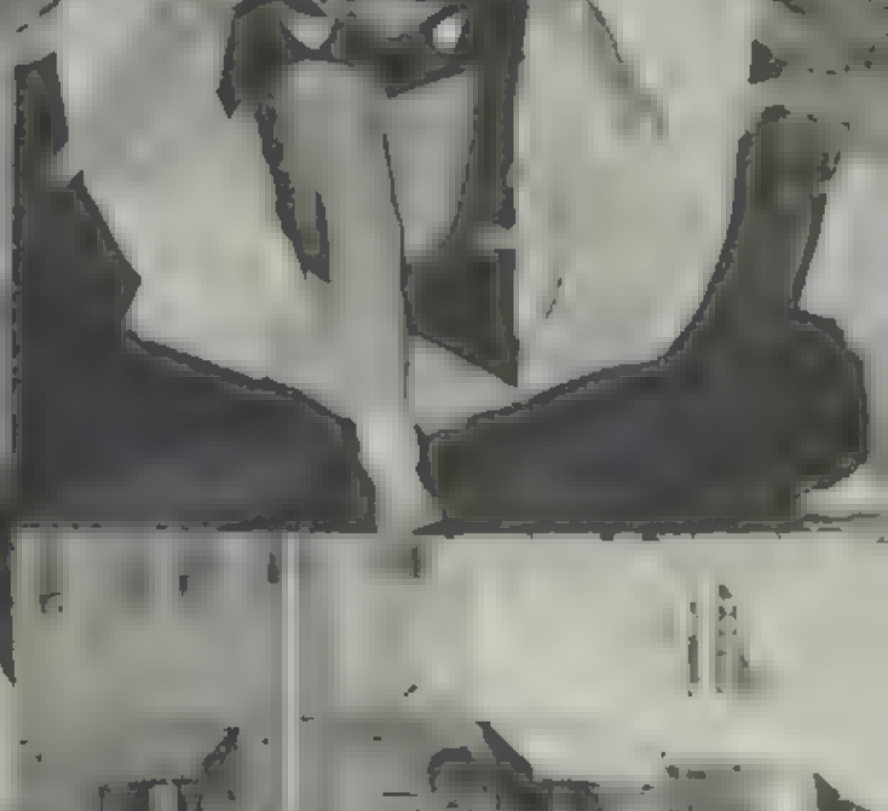
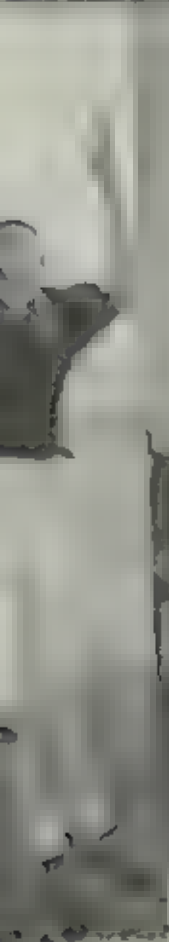


Junior High Float
4th Prize



Freshman Float
5th Prize







Junior Class Play



Junior Class Play

November 9, 1962

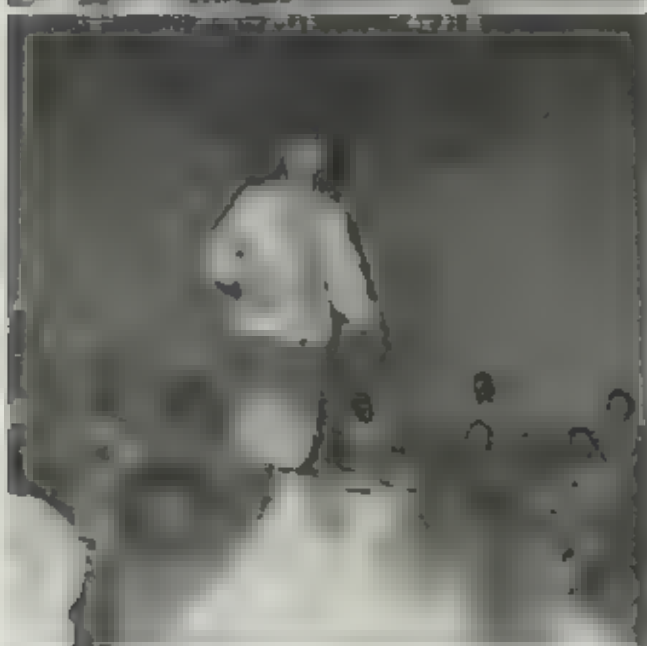
"Stars In Their Eyes"

Directed by Mrs. Phelan

Assistant Director - Joan Erickson

Stage Manager - Evelyn Phelan

Eloise - Beth Miller
Lindy Kelton - Mary Jones
Mrs. Kelton - Karen Lane
Beatrice Kelton - Peggy Sesker
Julie Kelton - Jean Huffaker
Mr. MacDoughee - Bill Griffith
Mrs. MacDoughee - Theresa Howard
Miss Mennen - Nancy Smith
Gertie - Linda Gustafson
Mr. Kelton - Keith Charlet
Kenny LeRoy - Steve Fish
Bill - Chuck Bullard
Mr. Peekin - Don Gardner
Mr. Beammer - Allen Miller
Mr. Bounce - Wayne Bell



Freshman Initiation

The members of the freshmen class were officially initiated into Maxwell High School on September 7, 1962. The day began with the freshmen appearing at school in rather unusual attire including inner tubes, gunnysacks, hip boots, and of course, the traditional green beames.

At noon the seniors took the freshmen downtown where they paraded up and down the street, played games and did stunts. In the evening everyone met in the gym. There, each freshman performed a stunt chosen by his senior. Then they all were treated to a delicious lunch of toothpaste h'ors or 'deurves, alum-coated marshmallows, lard sandwiches and karo soda. The evening's festivities were topped off with a dance for the whole high school.

The pictures on this page show a few of the highlights of that day and evening.

THE PREAMBLE TO INITIATION

We, the disrespected, dishonorable, down-trodden, uneducated members of the freshman class; in order to learn to be obedient and obey without question or hesitation every whim, order or command of our honorable, superior, ingenious, and elated masters; to realize the potentiality of our ever-ready persuaders, and to gain access to the selected few, offer these meager gifts in appreciation of our initiation into the brotherhood of the Maxwell Community High School.



We Appreciate

School Secretary

MRS. PAUL STRATTON



High School Counselor

MR. HAROLD SMITH

Librarians

SEATED: Mrs. Harold MacBeth
STANDING: Nancy Wierson, Judy Pointer,
Theresa Howard, Beth Miller, Ona White.





Cooks

Florence Alverson, Alice Gooden,
Edith Barrett, Lenor Woolhether.

Janitors

Raymond Hopper and Carl Nicodemus.



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